

In the specification

Please amend the paragraph on page 1, lines 4-5, as follows:

This application is a divisional of U.S. Serial No. 08/918,189 filed August 21, 1997,
which claims the benefit of a previously filed Provisional Application No. 60/023,427, filed
August 22, 1996, which is hereby incorporated by reference.

Please amend the paragraph on page 1, lines 7-8, as follows:

This invention was made with government support from the National Institutes of Health
under Grant No. IR29AR41046-01. Accordingly, the government has certain rights in the
invention.

Please replace the Sequence Listing on pages 29-31 with the Sequence Listing submitted
herewith, as filed on December 21, 2002 in U.S. Serial No. 08/918,189